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Downtown Road Closures to Begin

RSMH Project Phase I Underway

SEGUIN, Texas – The City of Seguin wants to make residents aware of downtown road closures that begin next week. The closures are part of phase one of the River/San Marcos/Heideke Street (RSMH) project.

Starting Monday, March 10, Walnut, Ireland and Elm Streets will be closed between River and Austin Streets. These closures are expected to happen in rotation, meaning all three streets may not be affected simultaneously. This set of closures will last approximately ten days. Detour signs will be posted.

The entire RSMH project includes utility, storm drainage, water, electric and sewer upgrades. Streets will be reconstructed and sidewalks added. The improvements will alleviate current concerns with storm water drainage, sewer issues and water pressure.

“The road closures required to complete the project will inconvenience some folks who live or work in the area, including us at City Hall,” Seguin Public Information Officer Scott Packard said. “We ask residents to be patient because when this is all said and done, it will be a tremendous improvement.”

The Seguin City Council selected Jordan Foster Construction for the work. The project is expected to take two years to complete.



About the City of Seguin

Seguin, Texas is located off on Interstate 10, about 35 miles east of San Antonio. Seguin is big enough to boast a top-rated university and a state-of-the-art hospital. More than 25,000 residents enjoy a range of cultural, recreational, and employment opportunities. Seguin's robust diversified economy features a steelmaker, a manufacturer of automotive parts and plants making roadside mowing equipment and building materials. In 2009, Seguin was proud to be selected by Caterpillar as the site of a major new engine manufacturing facility.

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